The Chancellor’s Advisory Committee on Work and Family:
What is it and what can it do for you?

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BSPPA Networking Meeting
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CACWF Mission

• Promote an environment for faculty, staff, non-Senate academics, post docs, and students that enhances their ability to meet their responsibilities to the University and their responsibilities to children, elders, partners and others

• Advise the Chancellor and other campus administrators on strategies, practices, programs, policies and benefits that further this goal.
CACWF

• Created in 1989
• Diverse membership (25+ individuals) from across campus
• Half-day retreat in October where priorities are set (thus we want your input!)
• Meet with Chancellor in Spring to make recommendations
Current Topics

• Lactation/changing rooms
• Affordable/accessible child care (home child care network)
• Input on Campus Climate Survey
Back-up care

• Provides highly-subsidized emergency childcare
• Began in 2011 for Faculty and 2013 for undergraduate and graduate students
• In 2016/2017 CACWF wrote a proposal to expand to postdocs and presented to the Office of the VC for Research.
Affordable Family Housing

• Met with various Vice Chancellors over the past two years and made official recommendations
• Formed the Family Housing Advisory Committee
• Short-term transitional housing for postdocs pilot program
• Abby Kroken is currently on the Housing Master Plan Advisory Group